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Re: Invention of Engler, et al.

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Title: RECEPTOR-MEDIATED UPTAKE OF PEPTIDES THAT BIND THE HUMAN
TRANSFERRIN RECEPTOR

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

This is a Response to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 22, 2003. Applicant hereby elects the invention of Group II, compositions containing the sequence THRPPMWSPVWP of claims 1-6. The claims are amended as follows on the next page: